SKILLMAN OFF WELL; WAS NEVER HEADED.

Locust Blossom's Entry at New Orleans Will Be Refused on Heavy Track.

MISS SOAK A REAL GOOD THING.

Put Over the Plate by the Canadian Contingent-Long Shots Landed at Tanforan and Favorites at Oakland.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.-Starter Fitzgerald marred the feature of the day, which was the mile and seventy yards handicap, by the send-off he gave the field. Slack, who rode Skillman, was in a way responsible for the bad start, as he beat the barrier with the son of Teufon by two lengths. This gave him such a commanding lead that he was never headed, winning easily at the end from Senator Beveridge. Eva Rice, the favorite, made an attempt to catch the flying Skillman, but the effort proved too much and she quit bedly in the run home and finished in the ruck. Monk Wayman, the good thing of the race, being backed down from 7 to 1 to 5 to 2, sulked all the way and finished an eighth of a mile behind the field.

The weather was warm and balmy and

The weather was warm and balmy and the track was in fine shape.

Quite a large crowd was out, and the sport was above the ordinary.

The stewards evidently did not like the improved race that Locust Blossom ran and issued the following ruling:

"We recommend that the entry of the mare Locust Blossom be refused hereafter at this meeting when the track is heavy."

The opening event went to Locust Blossom, an \$ to 1 shot, who was cleverly ridden by Cochran. Clales, the favorite, was second, a head in front of Candleblack.

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Egyptian Prince, the favorite, took the second race in a drive from Saragamp. The backers of the Prince were fortunate in cashing, as he swerved into The Elba, the second choice, at the eighth pole and knocked her off her stride.

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Chorus Boy, heavily played by Dave Gideon, the New York turfman and plunger, took the third, a selling affair, by two lengths. Admetus, backed down from 6 to 1 into favoritism, was third.

Five of the first horses in the fifth race finished heads apart, with Miss Golightly, the 3 to 1 shot, in front, and Debride, the favorite, second.

The Canadian contingent put over a good thing in Miss Soak in the closing event. A very short price was obtainable against the Canadian mare simply because she had been extensively touted. She opened at 6 to 1, but in a lifty her price was cut to 2s. Ehe won without an effort by two lengths.

New Orleans Summaries.

race, mile, selling—Egyptian Prince, Berly), 2 to 2 and 3 to 5, won; Sara (Gormley), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; 102 (Dale), 10 to 1, third, Time, 1:6%; Bean, Lord Lira, Fairy Prince and it also ran. a sixteenth, selling—see, mile and a sixteenth, selling—y, 114 (Coburn), 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, 18 (Coburn), 7 to 2 and 4 to Admetus, 108 (Dale), 5 to 2, third. Dagmar, Swordsman, Leon Fergun Vall, Eugenia S, and Uncle Bill

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METROPOLITAN HANDICAP.

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111 Billiant
110 The Rhymer
118 Dottor Barlow
119 Janice
117 Autolight

GOOD DAY FOR LONG SHOTS.

Rita beating Dunfree for the place.

Oakland Summaries.

First race, five and a half furiongs—Mike Strauss, 114 (Mounce), 2 to 1, won; Gold Baron, 128 (Shields), 10 to 1, second: Foul Play, 117 Bassinger), 5 to 2 third. Time, 1:10% Rathgar, Eldred, Hilly Lyons, Edith O., Emile Zols, Free Pass and Jolly Briton also ran.

Becond race, six furiongs, seiling—Dantiel, 109 (Bullman), even, won: Almonor, 112 (Mounce), 5 to 5, second; Incindiator, 116 (Ruiz), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:16% Alturas, San Augustine, Summer, Jack McCabe and William F. also ran. Third race, sfour furiongs, 2-year-olds—Jarretterre D'Or, 110 (Bullman), even, won; Estadio, 113 (Dominick), 11 to 2, second; Torso Maid, 110 (Shields), 12 to 1, third. Time, :50. Prestene, Lanto, Peppersauce, Winnabell, Myrland Dancer, Escalante and Isar also ran.

Fourth race, seven furiongs, seiling—Dandy Jim, 116 (Mounce), 6 to 5, won; St. Ruca, 109 (Bullman), 2 to 1, second: Dunfree, 109 (Shields), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:23%, El Karn also ran.

Fifth race, mile and sixteenth, selling—Socialist, 199 (Golden), 7 to 1, second: Moringa, 109 (Bullman), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:51. Flamero, El Mido, Uarda and Don Luis also ran.

Sixth race, six furiongs, handleap—Sly, 118 (Bullman), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:51. Flamero, El Mido, Uarda and Don Luis also ran.

To-Day's Oakland Entries.

First race, five and one-half furiongs, selling, maidens: Ritty Kelly in a Canter at 30 to 1—
Pavertic Nosed Out.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 28.—Kitty Kelly
was out loose for a good thing at Tenforan
in the first race and won at 30 to 1. She was
well backed, and the closing price was 15. well backed, and the closing price was 15. She won in a canter, while Racetto got the

place easily from Our Liszie.

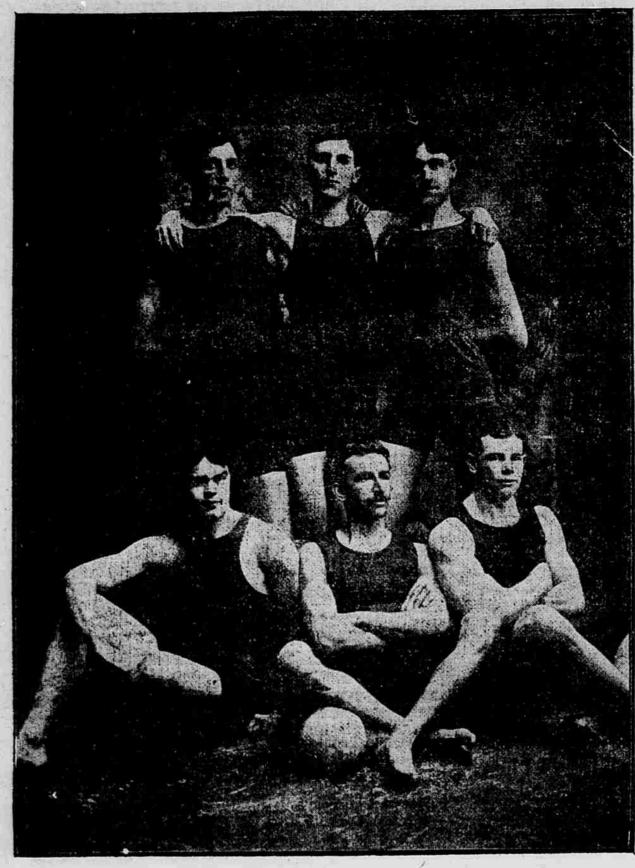
Edgardo, the favorite in the second 1ace, did not get inside the money. Vohicer, at 15 to 1, won from Brownie Anderson. Selde, the favorite in the third race, raced out with Raveling, but Toah came at the end and beat them both, Raveling getting the

fifth was easy for Edinborough, Mac-

Tamforah Summaries.

st race six furiongs, selling-Kitty Kelly,
Miliser, if to L. won; Racetto, 107 (Henry),
1, second; Our Linue, 198 (Bosaman), 18 to
jet. Time, 1:18. Ganua, Novia, Esperande
Sewet Caporal also ran.
and race, mije and one sixteenth, sellingce, 16 (Burphy), 12 to L. woo; Brownie Abm. W (Daly), 5 to L. second; Donator, 18 (Milt to h third. Time, 1:28. Overshore, LamaLavator, Edgardo and Free Lance size

Mashville in Favor of Having Each Track Limited to Ten Days.



ST. LOUIS TURNVEREIN'S WATER POLO TEAM. Will represent this city in the big national tournament at Chicago. Top Line-ARTHUR SIEGEL, G. HANSSEN, E. ZIEGENHEIN.
Sitting-A. NASSE, CAPTAIN JOHN C. MEYERS, HENRY ABEKEN.

Charles Lebel and Mountain Dew also ran.
Sixth race, five furlongs, selling—Antagone, 192
(O'Connor), 7 to 6, won; Favortie, 29 (Murphy),
69 to 1, second; Alary's Garter, 97 (J. Walsh),
7 to 2, third. Time, 15014. Parmenion, Letter,
7 to 2 third. Time, Mission and Sweet William also of thoroughbred horses in this section at the present time is the prospective war be-To-Day's Tanforan Entries.

present time is the prospective war between race-track owners in the Middle West. The feeling against Louisville and Memphis in this vicinity is especially bitter, as turfmen here seem to think that Messis, Schulte of Louisville and Montgomery of Memphis on two occasions have violated a solemn promise made to Cumberland Park officials in regard to racing dates.

A Davidson County Representative has a bill which he will introduce in the Legislature immediately after the recess. The bill has been prepared by able attorneys, and under its provisions each track in each county will be limited to ten-day meetings, fall and spring. Provisions for the enforcement of the law, providing heavy penalties for its violation, are also included.
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fall and spring. Provisions for the enforcement of the law, providing heavy penalties for its violation, are also included.

Members of the Legislature who have been sounded are practically unanimous for the bill.

There is a strong reform element in the present Legislature as was shown recently in the vote on the Peeler liquor bill.

Breeders, owners and trainers have importuned the members from their home counties to support the racing bill, and full two-thirds of the breeders in the State have signed a petition urging its passage. The bill is almost sure to pass, as there seems little opposition to it, except in the counties adjacent to Memphis.

Many admirers of racing not directly interested in the game regret the bad feeling between the track owners now existing, but there seems to be little chance to heal the wounds. When Memphis joined hands with the Chicago tracks to crush out the smaller tracks, and especially those in their own State, it naturally aroused the ire of Middle Tennessee horsemen and breeders. Third sales and sales are Fifth race, six furious, sensus:
The Phoenician ... III. First Call
Alose ... 119 Alas
Amasa ... 105 Kitty Kelly
Sixth race, one mile, selling:
Benson Caldwell ... 107 Dariene
Artena ... 108 Kingstelle
William Ack ... 104 Lucera ...
Thornwild ... 104

FIVE FAVORITES AT OAKLAND.

Maggie Davis Crowded to the Fence Dandy Jim Off Flying.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 28.-Four fa-vorites in a row and five all told raced

in front to the wire at Oakland this after-

In front to the wire at Cakana this afternoon.

The best race of the day was the last,
in which four horses passed the wire only
heads apart. As they came down the
stretch Siy was on the outside, with Frank
Bell and Sad Sam in the center, and Maggle Davis on the rail. The latter might
have won but for her crowded position
against the fence. She seemed to be racing
strong, but, as it was, Sly got the decision,
with Frank Bell second and Sad Sam third.
The first race was won easily by Mike
Strauss from Gold Baron, Foul Play got
the third place.
Almoner set the pace in the second event
well into the stretch, where Daniel came
on fast, and beat out Almoner in the last
few jumps by a head. Incindiator showed.
Jerrettierre d'Or had no trouble taking
the third event, after laying back in the
bunch most of the way around. In the last
sixteenth the filly won as she pleased from
Estado.

In the fourth Dandy Jim got away flying. In the run for home Dunfree and Santa Rita closed up, but Jim won out, Santa
Rita beating Dunfree for the place.

Oakland Summarles.

First race, five and a half furlongs—Mike

First race, five and one-half furlongs, selling

three-fourths of a mile,

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

BENNINGS HANDICAPS.

Washington Jockey Club Announce Weights and Entries. New York, Feb. 28.—The Jockey Club announces the following entries and weights for the Bennings Spring handicaps, to be run on the first and last days of the spring meeting of the Washington Jockey Club at

Bernings, D. C.:

Intrusive 125
Sidney Lucas 118
Charontus 117
First Whip 116
First Whip 116
Prince of Rhodes 115
Decanter 115
Byedmas 169
Roystere 107
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Risk 106
Ellom 105
Sentry 106
Gautama 108

Magic Light
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Alsike Tonicum Certrude Elliott
Bobert Metcalf
Fake Abort Metcalf
Fake Moort Metcalf
Fake Moort Heig Gun
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Moort Heig Gun
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Lexington Pirate
Obliged
Death

Lady Sterling a Good Colt.

Lady Sterling a Good Colt.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 28.—The chestnut filly Lady Sterling, by Hanover, dam Aquilla, by Sterling, owned by Gus Straus, and trained by Oven Bradley, with 107 pounds up, was sent a half at the following rate to-day:

Eighth in 12½; quarter in :24½; three-eighths in :35½, and half in :35 seconds.

This is the fastest work ever seen over this track, done by a 2-year-old at this season of he year.

Track Talk.

The horses belonging to W. H. May & Son, Thomas Nepper and Ed Bradley were stipped to Memphis from New Orleans last night, to be rested up until the opening of the spring meeting at Montgomery Park.

—Chicago handbooks pay off after each race, getting the results over the ticker. Schemers have been getting the winners by wire direct from the tracks, and cashed many, a bet where they had no chance to lose.

—In a telegram to The Republic T. H. Williams, Jr., president of the California Jockey Club, denies the story sent out from San Francisco that there is to be a change in the Qakland track's stand this year or next.

—New Orleans race patrons are said to be the most easy going people in the world, as, no matter what happms, they never gather round the ludges' stand and make a demonstration, even though the decision may be a costly one for the majority.

—A 20 per cent reduction has been made in the contract of the

judges' stand and make a demonstration, even though the decision may be a costly one for the majority.

—A 20 per cent reduction has been made in the salaries of employes at Oakland, while Tanforan goes right along, spending more moiney every day, the liberal racing promoters getting the best crowds and all of the heavy betters in consequence.

—Johnnie Schorr has written to his father, J. W. Schorr, in Memphis, that the California division of the Schorr stable will leave Frisco for New Orleans next Sunday, after the California Derby, Joe Frey will represent the Schorrs in the Crescent City Derby, set for March 16.

—Judge R. N. Ogden, Carter H. Harrison's father-in-law, has commenced suit against Frank Regan, the horseman, for fees which he claims are due him for setting Jockey Landry reinstated. Landry was ruled off on Our Lizzie at Harlem last fall and was reinstated a few weeks age.

—J. J., Sellers, who owned the well-known horse, The Hero, when he won five races in four days at Washington Park, has been in charge of two of Ed Brown's (Brown Dick's) horses during the winter at J. W. Wilson's farm near Chicago, and took them over to Lakeside yesterdey. They are the 3-year-old Volkman, by imp. Ember-La Bruja, and Mr. Smith, by Iroquois—Nellie Grand.

—A Creole bookmaker from a small Lozisiana town has won close to \$50,000 this winter at New Orleans, while experienced layers of olds are heavy losers. This Alphe Fontalieu knows nothing about handicapping, but any time he likes a horse he never stops bettime, and if he does not fancy one the public is getting down on, he

takes all the bets his block man can attend to before they go to the post.

—P. J. Moss, who has lately been confining his attention to trotters and pacers, has some idea of going into the running game. He has three 2-year-olds, and he has sent their names to be registered. These are: Pierre J., by Prince of Monaco-Ferondella, by Baden-Baden; Ed D., by imp. Aintree-Partialetta, by Siddartha, and Lawrence M., by De Beauvoir-Eothen, by Vigil, They are a likely looking lot of youngsters and in good hands should give a fair account of them.elves.

—Johnny Fay, the Louisville bookmaker-owner.

themselves.

Johnny Pay, the Louisville bookmaker-owner, returned to Memphis from New Orleans. He has a large stable of 2-year-olds here. Fay says that all of the layers are Lehind the game at New Orleans. Eddie Austin, Pay says, is about \$22,000 to the bad, and Steve L'Hommedieu is out about \$20,000. Harry Laudeman is \$5,000 loser. Fay says that with two exceptions all bookmakers who have been done business.

OUTLAND TO COACH KANSAS.

Famous Pennsylvania Player Will Have Charge of the Jayhawkers. Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 28.-John H. Outland, captain of the University of Pennsyl vania football team in '98 and at presen director of athletics at Franklin and Mar-shall, has accepted a similar position at the University of Kansas. Outland played his first college football in the Sunflower State in '95, and made a great reputation State in '95, and made a great reputation as a half back, In '96 he captained the scrub at Penn and in '97 played half back on the 'varsity. In '98 he was captain of the first team and rounded out his career in '99 when he, in one season, played half back, quarter, tackle and end for the Red and Blue.

In the spring of 1990 Outland graduated from the medical school and went to Franklin and Marshall in the following fall having also the appointment of assistant surgeon in the Lancaster General Hospital. He will probably hold the position of demonstrator of anatomy at Kansas University in addition to his duties of athletic durector.

LIPTON IS WELL PLEASED.

Says New York Yacht Club's Reply Is Fair and Sportsmanlike. London, Feb. 28.—The reply of the New York Yacht Club to the latest suggestions from this side on the subject of the inter

he is perfectly satisfied with the Xvix Yacht Club's reply, and considers that the Royal Ulster Yacht Club's suggestions have been made in a sportsmanlike spirit. The report that Mr. Watson is fitting the Shamrock II with steel spars gains credence here. The Yachting World to-day says it understands Mr. Watson will fit the cup challenger with light steel spars. cup challenger with light steel spars.

PUGILISTS MAY GO TO CUBA. atrick T. Powers Expects to Pull Off the Jeffries-Ruhlin Fight There.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Feb. 28.—Patrick T. Powers, president of the Eastern League, who was associated with Jim Kennedy in pulling off a number of fistic battles in Madison Square and the control of the control

a number of fistle battles in Madison Square Garden, has an idea that Cuba would make a good fighting ground.

With the expectation of being able to hold fistle battles in that country, Powers has gone there and is at present looking over the ground. If his arrangements do not fail Powers will try to pull off the big fight between Jeffries and Ruhlin, which was not allowed to take place in Cincinnati recently.

JANOWSKI WON FIRST PRIZE.

His Last Game With Marco in Ches Tourney Was a Draw. Monte Carlo, Feb. 28.-Janowski, the Pa first prize in the international chess tournament, his game with Marco to decide draw having resulted in a draw. The Alapin-Mason game also ended in a draw.

PUGILISTS STILL IN JAIL.

Choynaki and Johnson May Go to Prison. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 28.—The puglists
Choynski and Johnson are still in jail. All
Judges applied to refuse to hear the writ
of habeas corpus. Things look black for
the fighters, as it is generally considered
that their conviction is a foregone conclusion, and this means two to five years in
the Penitentiary, as the court may direct.

PRESIDENT POWERS GIVES UP THE FIGHT.

Death Knell of American Association Sounded at Spring Meeting of National League.

NEW ONE MAY BE FORMED.

ganization Adopted - Western Clubs to Go East in May-Magnates Adjourn.

Playing Schedule for Parent Or-

New York, Feb. 28.-The National League magnates concluded their annual spring meeting at the Fifth Avenue Hotel today. Before adjournment the playing schedule for the coming season was an-

The National Board of Arbitration, consisting of A. H. Soden, James Hart, John T. Brush, F. De Hass Robinson, Colonel John I. Rogers and President Young, went into executive session at 10:30 a. m. It took seven hours to finish the business before

The official death knell of the American Association as an organization in its present form was sounded. It is not improbable, however, that a circuit of Western clubs will be launched within a few days under this title. President Powers sent a letter to the

President Powers sent a letter to the board in which he gave up the fight for his organization, saying the Eastern end had gone to the wall under financial distress. He then asked that the Western promoters be allowed to reserve their territorial rights and to be allowed to protect their shares under contract for the purpose their players under contract for the purpose of reorganizing under the title of the Amer-

ican Association.

The circuit proposed includes Louisville,
Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Dayton, O.,
Columbus, Mansfield and either Detroit, Grand Rapids or Milwaukee, If this scheme cannot be brought about successfully, it is probable that Indianapolis and Louisville ill be taken into the Western League.
Rogers Blamed for the Demise.

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The promoters of the defunct association blame Colonel John I. Rogers for the smashing of the organization on account of his action in compelling the assoing of the organization on account of his action in compelling the association team in Philadelphia to use League grounds before he would consent to the location of a club in that city. The rental was fixed at \$5.400 for the year, the association to pay all expenses for employes, etc. The board decided to protect W. H. Watkins's interests at Indianabolis. With the exception of Magoon and Hartzeli, who go to League clubs, the board, upon application of Mr. Watkins, decided to protect him by allowing him to hold all the players on his team, and also protect his territorial rights.

Charles Strobel, the Toledo magnate in the Interstate League, was turned down hard by the National Board in his protest against the Kansas City Club of the Western League. The Toledo management falled to apply for protection within the prescribed time in the national agreement. The Kansas City people took advantage of the failure and signed five of Mr. Strobel's players. He protested, but the board found, after hearing the evidence, that inasmuch as Mr. Strobel had failed to comply with the national agreement, his players were free and at liberty to sign with whom they pleased.

Western League Granted Protection.

the National board with the above result.

Doyle to Captain Chicago Club.

President Hart of Chicago to-night announced that Jack Doyle affixed his signature to a Chicago contract. Doyle, it is said, will probably captain the Chicagos this season.

Andrew Freedman made good his threat and did not attend tc-day's session of the magnates. He was represented by Fred M. Knowles. The consensus of opinion seems to be that Mr. Freedman's proposed amendment to the constitution, touching on the question of "rowdy ball," was entirely too sweeping. Mr. Freedman quit the meeting in anger because of the failure of the magnates to act favorably on the amendment. A new arrangement was embodied in the playing schedule, by the terms of which the Western clubs come East in May and the season closes earlier in the East.

St. Louis and Chicago will be the holiday attractions in New York.

SCHEDULE TREATS ST. LOUIS WELL

Local Club Gets Some Good Dates and Begins Season at Home. The St. Louis club is well treated by the

schedule. It gets the Decoration Day double-header in New York, a handsome national yacht race reached the Royal
Ulster Yacht Club to-day. The answer is
regarded as clearing up the ambiguity in
regard to the starting rule.

Sir Thomas Lipton informed a representative of the Associated Press to-day that
he is perfectly satisfied with the New York
Yacht Club's reply and considers that the The Labor Day games will find St. Louis in Brooklyn, another excellent holiday town. Then the fine date of July 4 comes at home with Philadelphia. On the whole the local club is nicely fixed by the schedule maker.

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The Chicago club will open the season on the St. Louis grounds on April 18 with a four-game series. Following that club will come Pittsburg for three games. Then St. Louis will go away to Pittsburg for four games, returning to St. Louis to open a four-game series with Chicannati. Then will come four games in Chicago, prior to a prolonged Eastern trip.

As thirteen of the first seventeen games played by the club will be seen in St. Louis the local organization should have an excellent chance to get a good start before going East for its hard trip. The schedule Iollows:

New York at Home.

With Boston—April 18, 20, 22; June 1; July



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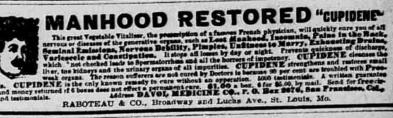
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20, 21; September 4, 5, 6.
 With St. Louis—May 18, 20, 21, 22; June 29;
 July 1, 2; September 2, 2, 3.
 Philadelphia at Home.

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Philadelphia at Home.

With Bosten—April 23, 24, 25, 25; July 22. 22, 24; August 16, 17; October 5.

With Brooklyn—April 19, 20, 22; June 1; July 25, 27, 29; August 19, 20; September 14. With New York—April 27, 29, 29; May 1; August 9, 10, 12, 26, 27, 28.

With Pittsburg—May 14, 15, 16, 17; June 29; July 1, 2; September 7, 9, 10.

With Chicago—May 18, 20, 21, 22; June 25, 27, 28; September 4, 5, 6.

With Cincinnati—May 28, 29, 30, 30; June 22, 24, 25; September 2, 2, 2.

With St. Louis—May 23, 24, 25, 27; June 19, 20, 21; September 39; October 1, 2.

With Boston—June 13, 14, 15; July 8, 9, 10, 11; September 39; October 1, 2.

With Brooklyn—June 6, 7, 8; July 17, 18, 19, 20; September 26, 27, 28.

With New York—June 10, 11, 12; July 4, 5, 6; September 23, 24, 25.

With Chicago—May 1, 2, 3, 4; August 8, 9, 10, 29, 30, 31.

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With St. Louis—April 26, 27, 29, 30; August 5, 6, 7, 26, 27, 28.

Chicago at Home.

With Boston—June 3, 4, 6; July 12, 13, 15, 16; September 18, 29, 21.

With Brooklyn—June 9, 10, 11; July 4, 4, 6, 7; September 18, 29, 21.

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With St. Louis—May 10, 11, 12; June 1; August 1, 3, 4, 24, 25; September 15.

Cincinnati at Home.

With Boston—June 10, 11, 12; July 4, 4, 5, 6; September 25, 27, 28, 29; July 26, 27, 28, 29; September 26, 27, 28, 29; July 26, 27, 28, 29; Eptember 25, 27, 28, 29; July 26, 27, 29, 20; September 26, 27, 28, 29; July 26, 27, 29, 20; August 26, 27, 28, 29; July 26, 27, 29, 20;

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With Chicago—April 22, 23, 24 and 25; August 5, 6, 7, 19, 20 and 21.

With St. Louis—May 6, 7, 8 and 9; June 2 and 17; August 8 and 9; October 5 and 6.

St. Louis at Home.

With Boston—June 6, 7 and 8; July 17, 18, 19 and 20; September 23, 24 and 25.

With Brooklyn—June 13, 14, 15 and 16; July 8, 9 and 10; September 19, 21 and 22.

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GRIFFITH ON ZIMMER'S ACTION.

pleased.

Western League Granted Protection.

The application of the Western League for protection, with its original membership under the national agreement, was granted. The board refused to grant the application of the Connecticut League to use other than the regulation League ball in championship games.

"Mattle" McVickers appeal to be released from contract with the Omaha club was granted. McVickers claimed that, under the terms of his original contract, he was exempt from reservation. Decision was reserved upon the application of C. B. Kuhn to be released from the Syracuse club. The club was instructed to forward to the board proof of the agreement between it and the player. Kuhn claimed his release on the ground that there was back salary due him.

The Chicago club was awarded the services of Outfielder T. L. Hartzell, as against the claim of the Cincinnati club to the player. Under an agreement, the Chicago club was to have the pick of two players of the American League and a base knuckling to the National leagues.

Last year the Cincinnati club drafted Hartzell and played him in several games.

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Many players felt that although Zimmer's action looked like a "throwdown" of the American League and a base knuckling to the National, he had made a very shrewd move. For he secured all the privileges the players demanded in the way of freedom from reserve, objections to sale, farming and suspension. Having once secured these concessions, it is felt that they will always be retained by the Players' Union. Hence, in whatever light, no matter what Zimmer did to the American League in its fight with the National, it seemed plain that he helped the Players' Union a great deal.

Griffith, who is a very able man, does not like the idea of Zimmer truckling to the National League. Before leaving for Hot Springs last night he said:

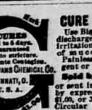
"I shall surely sign with whatever league that I think best, whether American or National, when set at liberty to sign a contract by the Players' Protective Association.

"I only know what I have read in the newspapers of what President Zimmerman agreed to in New York. Therefore I will venture no opinion until I have official knowledge. I am sure the 'Chief' would not allow those 'bunko's' to sell him a 'gold brick,' so as to eventually hurt our order. I know they are looking for a 'high board fence' to get behind; but we must not be that fence, and reserve their players for them.

"To begin with, we have no right to tell."

GOSSIP OF THE BALL PLAYERS. Joyce and Tebeau Will Not Invest in a Baseball War.

An excellent indication of the undesirability of a fight between opposing baseball organizations for patronage, and the remoteness of trouble in that line between the National and American leagues, is shown in the stand taken by Joyce and Tebeau, the St. Louis baseball men who have been spoken of in connection with ownership of an American League club in this city. "What few dollars I may have," said Mr. Joyce yesterday, "were earned on the ball field. I broke my legs, my arms and sweated occans to earn them. It is blood money. Now do you suppose that I am going to throw away in one season's baseball fight what it took me ten years of hard work to accumulate? Not on your life. I have not been approached by any person to take charge of any club. If I was asked to do so I should acquiesce upon one condition—that I be paid one-third more per annum than I made out of my business last year. This, I think, would be more than any club could afford to pay any manager. I have not any money worth speaking of, and you may be sure that I can find safer investment for all I can get than in a basebali war."



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League players of 1900 will not be allowed to sign with any club."

Mr. Griffith's explanation is not at all-lucid, and it is not plain that the action of the Players' Union does not embarrant

GEORGETOWN'S TRACK TEAM.

Washington Boys in Fine Shape for Pennsylvania. Georgetown, D. C., Feb. 22.—George-town's large band of track athletes are doing fine work in the daily training indoors. There are thirty-five athletes tain Duffy is feeling in as good condition as ever and is confident of doing his best as ever and is confident of doing his best.

He demonstrated at the Boston Athletic Association games on February 16 that he is in perfect stride and condition, and in the fifty yards special match race here next Saturday night with Washington Deligado of Brooklyn and Tewkesbury of Pennsylvanis, and probably A. Kent, he gives every assurance of winning.

Clay Lynch, 1903, who won the 20 handicap from a strong field at the indoor meet last year, is showing even better form and speed now, especially at the 440-yard distance, and has been picked for Georgelown's relay team.

Edward J. Minnehan, 1904, who gives so much promise as a star sprinter of the first order, is running very well and should class among the winners next Saturday night.

Sam Owens, 1903, Medical, who has shown fine speed in the sprints heretofore, has also developed into a strong quarter-miler and is running better than ever before. He will run on Georgetown's relay team against Pennsylvania's team next Saturday.

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Billy Holland. 1902, is in his old-time form, in which he established himself as the fastest quarter-miler of New England, and will surely prove an important factor in all the events up to 460, as well as in the relay race.

Joe Reilly, 1905, Medical, who comes from Boston College, where he was captain of the track team last year and one of the best quarter-milers in New England, is in good shape and running up to true form. He will, no doubt, fully uphold his reputation as one of the best indoor runners in the country in the sprints, as well as the quarter-mile, and as the fourth member of the relay team.

Leon Lennon, post graduate, of San Francisco, has developed into a strong runnersince beginning last year, and gives much promise for fast work in all distances up to 44 yards.

Harry Laub, 1905, of Arizona, is regarded as a dark horse in sprinting. In practice he has run very close to Minnehan, Helland, and even Duffy, He is a lithe, long-legged chap and has a long stride.

James Darraugh, post graduate, of Galveston, Tex., has a promising future at the longer distances. He is a strong, hardy athlete, with an unusually long stride and quick action.

Joe McAleer, A. B., post graduate, of Philadelphia, Pa., has developed into a long-distance runner and promises fax speed for the mile event.

Bernard J. Ford, 1904, Law, of Denver, Colo., is showing good speed, Bresnahan, 1904, and A. L. Edmonston, 1905, are doing very well for inexperienced runners and promise much improvement.

John Golden, 1904, of Pitiston, Pa., and J. O'Hara, 1905, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., both 'varsity baseball playera, are doing fast work for the quarter mile.

"Sharkey" O'Connor, 1902, the was leading runner at Holy Cross College, should run a strong quarter-miler, and for the shot-put, and is running strong for the shot-put, and is running strong for the shot-put, and is running strong for the sprints. Western Rewing C

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The regular monthly meeting of the West Rowing Club will take place at the hosthostoot of Dorcas street, Friday evening. An an and necktie party will take place at the language Harch 10.